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A PROPROTEIN CONVERTASE WITH A UNIQUE
CLEAVAGE SPECIFICITY

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Official Action mailed on January 26, 2004, in connection with the above-identified patent application, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Response to the Office Action is due on July 26, 2005, with a three-month (3) extension of time. The Applicants submit concurrently a Petition for Extension of Time for 3 months, to and including July 26, 2005, accompanied by the required fee along with the Request for Continued Examination.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.